

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-25 and 36-51, without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend the remaining claims as follows:

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26. (Once amended) A method for [preparing] synthesizing a nucleic acid molecule comprising [two or more recombination sites or portions thereof comprising]

- (a) mixing [a] one or more nucleic acid [template] templates with a polypeptide having polymerase activity and one or more primers comprising one or more recombination sites or portions thereof; and
- (b) incubating said mixture under conditions sufficient to synthesize [a] one or more nucleic acid [molecule which is] molecules which are complementary to all or a portion of said [template and which comprises] templates and which comprise one or more recombination sites or portions thereof.

Remarks

No new matter has been added by the foregoing amendments to the specification, which have been made to update the priority information shown in the specification and to direct insertion of the substitute sequence listing (which corrects errors noted by the PTO on the Notice to Comply With Sequence Requirements). Support for the foregoing amendments to claim 26 may be found throughout the specification as originally filed, particularly at page 11, lines 9-17.